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STATE REPRESENTATIVE SIMMONS APPLAUDS BOND COMMISSION FOR AFFORDABLE HOUSING FUNDING FOR STAMFORD RESIDENCE

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(HARTFORD, CT) – Last week, the State Bond Commission approved more than \$49 million in state funding that will support the development of hundreds of units of affordable housing in towns throughout Connecticut.

Of that near \$50 million in funding, Stamford was approved to receive \$1,625,00 for 34 units at Lawnhill Terrace 4.

"This is a great accomplishment that helps expand equity and opportunity throughout the Stamford community," **Rep. Simmons** said. "The accessibility to housing this funding provides also opens accessibility to healthcare, education, and other services vital to progression and opportunity in our community. I applaud the State Bond Commission for recognizing this as well as the need for affordable housing and approving funds be allocated to Stamford."

Governor Lamont said, "Access to housing that is affordable and stable is a key component toward building a stable economy that supports the growth of jobs and makes neighborhoods vibrant places to live and work. An investment in housing is an investment toward improving the economic health of our entire state."

You can watch the State Bond Commission's meeting from Friday, April 16 on demand via the Connecticut Network (CT-N).

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